Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

1. (Currently Amended) A method for displaying a GUI, comprising:

receiving, via a network, a motion command, a control flag, an index, a plurality of display coordinates and a time value period at a first device from a second device, wherein the motion command, received separately from an image object stored in an image cache to be referenced by the index without including pixel values generated by the second device, directs animation of the image object at the plurality of display coordinates over the received time period at a transition rate indicated by the control flag;

updating a frame buffer of the first device with the image object of the image cache over the time period to animate the image object per the motion command; and

presenting the animation of the image object on a display of the first device via the GUI.

- (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1 further comprising generating a video output signal representative of the frame buffer and the motion of the image object.
- 3. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1 further comprising receiving a background image from the second device, storing the background image to a background buffer, and updating the frame buffer with the background image prior to updating the frame buffer with the image object.

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- 4. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1 further comprising receiving a background image from the second device, decompressing the background image, and storing the background image to a background buffer of the device in a decompressed form.
- 5. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1 further comprising receiving the image object from the second device, and storing the image object in the image cache.
- 6. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1 further comprising receiving the image object from the second device, decompressing the image object, and storing the image object in the image cache in a decompressed form.
- 7. (Cancelled)
- 8. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1 further comprising updating the frame buffer to animate the image object moving along a curve defined by the plurality of coordinates over the time period.
- 9. (Cancelled)
- 10. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1 wherein the motion command indicates a first scale, and a second scale, and updating the frame buffer with the image object comprises updating the frame buffer to animate the image object transitioning from the first scale to the

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second scale over the time period.

11. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1 wherein

the motion command indicates a new scale, and

updating the frame buffer with the image object comprises updating the

frame buffer to animate the image object transitioning from a current scale to the

new scale over the time period.

12. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1 wherein

the motion command indicates a first rotation, a second rotation, and

updating the frame buffer with the image object comprises updating the

frame buffer such that the image object is rotated from the first rotation to the

second rotation over the time period.

13. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1 wherein

the motion command indicates a new rotation, and

updating the frame buffer with the image object comprises updating the

frame buffer such that the image object is rotated from a current rotation to the

new rotation over the time period.

14. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1 further comprising receiving a

capabilities

command from the second device, and providing the second device with capabilities

of the first device.

15. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1 further comprising receiving a cache

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management command from the second device, and updating the image cache per the cache management command.

16. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1 further comprising providing the second

device with an indication that the first device has completed the motion command.

17. (Currently Amended) An apparatus for displaying a GUI on a remote device, comprising:

at least one processor to execute instructions,

a network interface controller to transmit commands to the remote device,

a memory comprising a plurality of instructions that in response to being executed by the at least one processor, result in the at least one processor,

loading the remote device with image objects, and

transmitting one or more motion commands, one or more control flags, one or more indexes, a plurality of display coordinates and a time value period via the network interface controller and a network to the remote device, wherein the one or more motion commands, transmitted separately from the image objects in an image cache to be referenced by the one or more indexes without including pixel values generated by the apparatus, request the remote device to animate the image objects at the plurality of display coordinates over the received time period at a transition rate indicated by the one or more control flags,

wherein the animation of the image objects is presented via the GUI.

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18. (Original) The apparatus of claim 17 wherein the plurality of instructions further result in

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the at least one processor generating the one or more motion commands based

upon one or more events generated by an application of the apparatus.

19. (Original) The apparatus of claim 17 wherein the plurality of instructions further

result in

the at least one processor generating the one or more motion commands based

upon one or more events received from the remote device via the network interface

controller.

20. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 17 wherein the plurality of

instructions

further result in the at least one processor generating a motion command of the one

or more commands that requests the remote device to animate a loaded image

object by moving the loaded image object from a first location to a second location

over the time period.

21. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 17 wherein the plurality of

instructions

further result in the at least one processor generating a motion command of the one

or more commands that requests the remote device to animate a loaded image

object by scaling the loaded image object from a first scale to a second scale over

the time period.

22. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 17 wherein the plurality of

instructions

further result in the at least one processor generating a motion command of the one

or more commands that requests the remote device to animate a loaded image

object by rotating the loaded image object from a first orientation angle to a second

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orientation angle over the time period.

23. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 17 wherein the plurality of

instructions

further result in the at least one processor generating a motion command of the one

or more commands that requests the remote device to animate a loaded image

object by moving the loaded image object along a curve defined by a plurality of

locations over the time period.

24. (Currently Amended) An apparatus for displaying a GUI, comprising:

a network interface controller to receive commands, one or more control

flags, one or more indexes, a plurality of display coordinates and a time value <u>period</u>

and image objects from a remote device via a network,

an image cache to store image objects received via the network interface,

a frame buffer to store at least one frame to be displayed, and

at least one video processor to execute received commands and to update a

frame buffer to animate image objects referenced by the indexes as requested by

received commands at the plurality of display coordinates over the received time

period at a transition rate indicated by the one or more control flags, wherein the

animation of the image objects is presented via the GUI, and wherein the remote

device sends the commands separately from the image objects without sending

pixel values to be used to update the frame buffer.

25. (Original) The apparatus of claim 24 further comprising a display engine to generate

a video output signal that is representative of a frame of the frame buffer.

26. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 24 wherein the video processor in

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image object of the image cache moving from a first location to a second location

over the time period.

27. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 24 wherein the video processor in

response to one of the received commands updates the frame buffer to animate an

image object of the image cache scaling from a first scale to a second scale over the

time period.

28. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 24 wherein the video processor in

response to one of the received commands updates the frame buffer to animate an

image object of the image cache rotating from a first orientation angle to a second

orientation angle over the time period.

29. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 24 wherein the video processor in

response to one of the received commands updates the frame buffer to animate an

image object of the image cache moving along a curve defined by a plurality of

locations over the time period.

30. (Currently Amended) A computer-readable storage medium having a plurality of

instructions stored therein which, when executed by a processor of a computer,

cause the processor to perform a process for displaying a GUI on a remote device,

comprising:

determining to update a graphical user interface in response to one or more

events, and

transmitting one or more motion commands, one or more control flags, one

or more indexes, a plurality of display coordinates and a time value period to the

remote device via a network, wherein the one or more motion commands,

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transmitted separately from one or more image objects in an image cache to be

referenced by the one or more indexes without including pixel values generated by

the computer, request the remote device to update a displayed graphical user

interface by animating the one or more image objects of the remote device at the

plurality of display coordinates over the received time period at a transition rate

indicated by the one or more control flags,

wherein the animation of the one or more image objects is presented via the

GUI.

31. (Previously Presented) The computer-readable storage medium of claim 30 wherein

the process further comprises transmitting a motion command that requests the

remote device to move an image object from a first location to a second location

over the time period.

32. (Previously Presented) The computer-readable storage medium of claim 30 wherein

the process further comprises transmitting a motion command that requests the

remote device to scale an image object from a first scale to a second scale over the

time period.

33. (Previously Presented) The computer-readable storage medium of claim 30 wherein

the process further comprises transmitting a motion command that requests the

remote device to rotate an image object from a first orientation angle to a second

orientation angle over the time period.

34. (Previously Presented) The computer-readable storage medium of claim 30 wherein

the process further comprises transmitting a motion command that requests the

remote device to move an image object along a curve defined by a plurality of

locations over the time period.

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